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Applicants: Toshiyuki AIBA
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For: SEEDLING POT FOR RAISING ROOT CROP SEEDLINGS
Art Unit: 3671

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 8, 2006

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of this application and prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.